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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	KOBAYASHI, ET AL	Examiner:	UNKNOWN
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Title:	METADATA PREPARING DEVICE, PREPARING METHOD THEREFOR AND RETRIEVING DEVICE		

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.